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Correspondence Courses Approved for Home Instruction

Academic courses offered by the schools listed below have been approved effective immediately for use by parents who choose Option (iii) of Section 22.1-254.1 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, pertaining to home education as an alternative to compulsory attendance for the 2004-05 school year. This list will remain in effect until replaced by an updated version.

School Name and Address	Telephone No. [Fax No.]	Grade Levels
A BEKA ACADEMY P. O. Box 18000 Pensacola, FL 32523 http://www.abekaacademy.org	800-874-3592 [800-874-3593]	K-12
ALPHA OMEGA ACADEMY 300 N. McKemy Avenue Chandler, AZ 85226 http://www.WelcomeToClass.com	800-682-7396 [480-893-6112]	K-12
ALPHA OMEGA ACADEMY ONLINE 300 N. McKemy Avenue Chandler, AZ 85226 http://www.WelcomeToClass.com	800-682-7396 [480-893-6112]	K-12
AMERICAN SCHOOL ^{1,2} 2200 East 170th Street Lansing, IL 60438 http://www.americanschoolofcorr.com	708-418-2800	9-12
BYU INDEPENDENT STUDY ³ 206 Harman Building P. O. Box 21514 Provo, UT 84602 http://elearn.byu.edu	800-914-8931 [801-422-0102]	7-12
CALVERT SCHOOL*4 10713 Gilroy Road, Suite B Hunt Valley, MD 21031 http://www.calvertschool.org/ (*Parents must subscribe to the Advisory Teaching Service)	410-785-3400 [410-785-3418]	preK-8
CAMBRIDGE ACADEMY ⁵ 3855 SE Lake Weir Avenue Ocala, FL 34480 http://www.cambridgeacademy.us	352-401-3688 [352-401-9013]	6-12

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CITIZEN'S HIGH SCHOOL ¹ 188 College Drive P. O. Box 66089 Orange Park, FL 32065-6089 http://www.citizenschool.com/	904-276-1700 [904-272-6702]	High school
Home Study International*1,5 12501 Old Columbia Pike Silver Spring, MD 20904-6600 http://www.hsi.edu (*Parents must subscribe to the Accredited Plan)	301-680-6570 [301-680-5157]	K-12
Independent Study Program 709 E. Kirkwood Avenue Owen Hall 002 Bloomington, IN 47405-7101 http://scs.indiana.edu	800-334-1011 [812-855-8680]	9-12
James Madison High School ^{1,5} 430 Technology Parkway Norcross, GA 30092 http://www.jmhs.com	770-729-8400 [770-729-8578]	9-12
KEYSTONE NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL ^{1,3} 420 W. 5 th Street Bloomsburg, PA 17815 http://www.keystonehighschool.com (Includes approval of a Driver Education course)	800-255-4937 [570-784-2129]	9-12
LAUREL SPRINGS SCHOOL ⁶ 302 West El Paseo Street Ojai, CA 93023 http://www.laurelsprings.com (parents must enroll in Teacher-Assisted or Teachers Directed Program)	805-646-2473 [805-646-0186]	K-12
McGuffey Academy International P. O. Box 155 Lakemont, GA 30552 www.mcguffeyacademy.com	706-782-7709 [706-782-7713]	K-12

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North Dakota Division of Independent Study ² Box 5036 – State University Station Fargo, ND 58103-5036 http://www.NDISonline.org	701-231-6007 [701-231-6050]	6-12
OAK MEADOW SCHOOL ⁷ P. O. Box 1346 Brattleboro, VT 05302 www.oakmeadow.com (Parents must subscribe to the full teacher support option)	802-251-7250 [802-251-7258]	K-12
PEARBLOSSOM PRIVATE SCHOOL, INC. P. O. Box 847 13134 E. Avenue V-13 Pearblossom, CA 93553 http://www.pearblossomschool.com	661-944-0914 [661-944-4483]	
PHOENIX SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND ACADEMIES ² 1717 W. Northern Avenue, Ste 104 Phoenix, AZ 85021 http://www.phoenixacademies.org	602-674-5555 [602-943-9700]	8-12
SETON HOME STUDY SCHOOL ^{5,7} 1350 Progress Drive Front Royal, VA 22630 http://www.setonhome.org	540-636-9990 [540-636-1602]	K-12
SOUTHEAST ACADEMY 137 Palmer Avenue P. O. Box MM Saltville, VA 24370 http://go4sea.com	276-496-7777 [276-496-7979]	1-12
SUMMIT CHRISTIAN ACADEMY 1630 Falcon, Suite 106 Desoto, TX 75115 http://www.scahomeschool.com	800-362-9180 [972-224-4080]	3-12
SYCAMORE ACADEMY ³ 2179 Meyer Place Costa Mesa, CA 92627-2518 http://www.sycamoretree.com/ (online program only)	714-668-1343 [714-668-1344]	4-12

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THOMSON HIGH SCHOOL ¹ 925 Oak Street Scranton, PA 18515 http://www.EducationDirect.com	570-342-7701 [570-343-0560]	9-12
University of Arkansas ² Division of Continuing Education 2 East Center Street Fayetteville, AR 72762 http://www.uacted.uark.edu	479-575-6483 [479-575-7232]	9-12
UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI COLUMBIA HIGH SCHOOL 136 Clark Hall Columbia, MO 65211 http://cdis.missouri.edu	800-609-3727 [573-882-6808]	3-12
University of Nebraska-Lincoln*2 Independent Study 900 North 21st Street Lincoln, NE 68588-8400 http://www.nebraskahs.unl.edu (*Student must be enrolled for credit toward a UN-L diploma)	402-472-2175	9-12
University of Oklahoma High School ² 1600 South Jenkins – Room 101 Norman, OK 73072 http://isd.ou.edu	405-325-1921 [405-325-7687]	9-12
VIRTUAL GREENBUSH ⁷ Post Office Box 189 947 W 47 Highway Girard, KS 66743 http://www.virtualgreenbush.org	800-231-3056 [620-724-7123]	High School

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It is manifest that parents who choose to educate their children at home through a correspondence course are directly responsible for the educational progress of their children and the adequacy of instruction. The Virginia General Assembly has provided a mechanism to ensure that a child is receiving adequate instruction at home by requiring annual competency testing evaluation. This testing program or evaluation is a measure of educational adequacy and the determining factor in the decision regarding the continuation of home study.

The approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction does not guarantee that a school has a refund policy for uncompleted courses. The superintendent assumes no liability for damages or financial loss to parents using any course listed to meet Option (iii) of the home study legislation.

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